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WANTED

WANTED—Live poultry. Elrick, Barton. 18tf

WANTED—Live poultry of all kinds. E. S. Kelley, Orleans. 31tf

WANTED—All around tinsmith and plumber. Whipple, French & Co., Orleans. 15tf

WANTED—Waitresses and kitchen help for the dining hall at the fair ground. L. M. Hubbard. 1w

WANTED—Persons desiring high school pupils to work for board or who have rooms to rent should notify the committee, J. A. Pearson, J. F. Batchelder, Wallace H. Gilpin. 32-35

WANTED—Live poultry. Hens 14 cents, chicks two pounds and up, 16 cents pound. Empty crops, please. N. W. Strawn, Orleans. Bell phone, 142-12. 32tf

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Thousand pounds hens week, 14c lb. Crops to be empty. Elrick. 29tf

MISCELLANEOUS

See my auction sale adv., in this issue. E. C. Brennan, Orleans. 33-34

The Orleans School Committee desire to learn of boarding places for non-resident pupils attending O. H. S. Notify Dr. Wells, M. M. Taplin or F. C. Brown. 33-35

NOTICE—Regarding the trademarks from Babbitt's Soap, Babbitt's Cleanser, Babbitt's 1776 Soap Powder, Bring 50 to Austin's Pharmacy, Orleans, or Pierce's Pharmacy, Barton. Several useful premiums to select from. 33tf

ONLY 25 CENTS for large load dry shavings at our mill in Orleans. Also six-foot edgings at 75 cents per cord at the mill. E. L. Chandler Co., Orleans. 21tf

TORRENT

TO RENT—First class office in bank block for rent. Apply to Central Savings Bank & Trust Co., Orleans. 26tf

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes. REV. J. A. RANNEY, Pastor. Services will be held Sunday as usual.

You are cordially invited to attend all services.

Morning worship, 10.45.

Sunday school, 12 o'clock.

Epworth League, 7 o'clock.

Congregational Church Notes.

REV. W. A. WARNER, Pastor.

Sunday, Aug. 20:

10.45, morning service.

12.00, Sunday school.

7.00, Christian Endeavor meeting.

Subject, "Growth: Body, Mind, Spirit." Luke 2:40-52. Leader, Laura B. Case.

Thursday, Aug. 17, evening service.

"How to Make a Tool of Habit." Mark 1:1-22; 1 Pet. 4:1-19.

The Ladies' society will serve supper in the church parlors Friday evening instead of Wednesday as stated last week. All ladies of the church cordially invited. Please furnish for the tables without soliciting.

ANOTHER TEXAS LETTER.

Eagle Pass, Texas, Aug. 3, 1916.

Editor Monitor, Barton, Vt.
After reading Mr. Davis' letter in a past issue of the Monitor, I thought there might be a few additional items I could add which would be of interest to the people at home.

In the first place I wish to state that conditions are better each day that we remain in camp. The heat has not been as intense for the past few days as it was the first few days of our encampment. If one had asked me how I liked the place when I got off the train, I would have answered them in rather warm terms. But now that we are becoming acclimated there is little fault to be found.

At first we had to sleep upon blankets and ponchos; now we have cots and plenty of straw for our ticks, so that our sleep is very much enjoyed. Furthermore, the nights are beautiful here, they could not be better. The eatables were new (different) and we had to become accustomed to them as well as to other things. This came hard to some who were not used to camp life but was soon overcome. Plans are being made for building new cots which are to be made with floors and screens as a preventative against flies and other troublesome insects. Among other additions are shower baths. These are simply great and will no doubt be missed by a number of the boys when they return home. The only means of keeping clean here is to stand under the shower most of the time. The northern people who have never been as far south as this cannot imagine how the sand and dust fly during our sand storms. These usually come every day just before dusk. Another noticeable feature is a thunderstorm. One who has never seen a Texas hurricane cannot imagine how the rain falls. It does not take long for things to get dry after the sun appears.

Our chaplain, President Thomas of Middlebury, has caused a fine Y. M. C. A. building to be built for our regimental use. This building is about 25x75 feet and contains desks, magazines, stationery, checkboards, playing cards, victrola, etc. It is certainly a great addition and is appreciated by all. There are electric lights installed which make fine reading and writing accommodations. The Kansas regiment near us, has electric lights throughout the entire outfit and we expect to have them in ours soon.

Our regiment has had very little sickness with the exception of the typhoid and small pox vaccination after-effects. Some, of course, were very sick, while others were not.

There has been only one death in our regiment, this resulting from a burn gotten by the explosion of a kerosene can. The burn was not serious.

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BARTON

Watch out for a breach of promise suit.

Mrs. Mary Kimball is visiting friends in Royalton.

Miss Esther Brunning visited friends in St. Johnsbury last week.

Miss Mary Fitzgerald of Boston is a guest at W. W. Reiden's.

Miss Hazel McLellan is visiting Miss Marian Newland in Newport.

Mrs. N. E. Butler, who has been seriously ill, is a little better.

Mrs. Nettie Cushman of Barre visited at Archie Wilkie's Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Willis visited her parents in Newport the last of the week.

Mrs. Kate Forte of Manset, Me., visited at A. Wilkie's over Sunday.

Vi and Janet Brunelle of St. Johnsbury are visiting at George Dilley's.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Valley Tuesday morning.

W. W. Reidner was in Littleton and Concord, N. H., the first of the week.

The schools of the town of Barton will open Monday, August 28th. 33-34

Miss Madeline Flanders is spending two weeks at George King's in Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Wroger of Boston are guests at Mrs. L. L. Alexander's.

L. A. S. Morrison of Lowell, Mass., is spending a few days at Hotel Barton.

Miss Ruby Campbell of New York City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Hunt.

Miss Lena E. Smedley of Jacksonville, Fla., is the guest of the Misses Butler.

Mrs. Zora Wheeler was the guest of Miss Marion Bickford in Glover over Sunday.

C. H. Hanson has bought a new Buick six automobile of Flanders & Mossman.

Mrs. C. F. Mason of Somerville, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. P. Cook.

Miss Pearl Wilmot of Lyndonville has been visiting the past week at John Urie's.

The dump on the South Barton road continues to be an unsightly and unsavory place.

Dr. J. M. Blake and family have returned from a two weeks' vacation at Stone Pond.

Ralph Phillips of Springfield, Mass., has been the guest of Harland Page the past week.

Grangers are invited to the Grange field day at Lyndon Center on the common Friday.

Opening of Schools Near.

The opening of the academy and graded school is fast approaching as August 29 is the time set for the beginning of the 1916-17 year. The corps of teachers as named in these columns is considered very able and there is every promise of a large attendance.

The training class under Miss Mary Patrick and Miss Pierpont will be one of the outstanding features of our school this year. Miss Patrick's recognized superiority in this line of work makes training in the course here especially valuable. Barton offers advantages equal or superior to any preparatory school in this county. A fourth teacher in the high school has been added and those students who desire academic work for college, those who desire a practical general English course and business course, those who desire manual training, domestic science, art, penmanship or music will find teachers and an excellent equipment at Barton academy. The work in our grades has always been of an exceptionally high order.

Free Tuition Examinations.

Examinations for tuition to high school will be held at Albany and at Barton August 25th, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m. C. L. Erwin, Supt.

Erwin A. Pearson of Lowell, Mass., is spending a few days with his father, Dr. J. A. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Robinson are spending a few days in the Batchelder camp at Long pond.

Frank Parker of Lincoln, Neb., was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. George Gorham, last week.

C. B. Webster of Chicopee Falls, Mass., spent the first of the week with his family here.

Miss Eva Baxter of Richmond is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. H. Mossman, for two weeks.

Rev. John Burgin of Lyndon Center visited his sister, Mrs. Emma Drown, the first of the week.

Prof. and Mrs. Atkins of Rome, Ga., are visiting Mrs. Atkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sisco.

Howard and Madeline Kelley of North Troy were guests at M. E. Willis's the week-end.

Mrs. P. L. Webster is spending the week in Quebec, the guest of her nephew, E. E. Webster.

Mrs. Florence Blood and sister, Marie, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. I. F. Doolin, in Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Morency, Dono Jutras and Peter Cote are taking an automobile trip in Canada.

Auction sale of household goods as advertised by H. L. Bigelow for Friday afternoon. See bills.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Goodro of New York City are visiting Mr. Goodro's mother, Mrs. Mary Goodro.

Mrs. Hattie Tate has moved from Glover into one of the tenements in the Blake house on High street.

Mrs. Blanche Chase of McIndoes is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Charles Hammond, who is ill.

Edwin Nelson of St. Johnsbury and Nell Wells of Burke were guests at A. P. Underwood's the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLellan were in Burke the first of the week to visit Mrs. McLellan's father, George Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bean of North Hatley, P. Q., visited their daughter, Mrs. A. A. Larabee, the first of the week.

Mrs. Stephen Smith and two children of Holyoke, Mass., are visiting at Henry Tinkler's and other friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Renia Brooks and family of Fall River are visiting Mr. Brooks' brothers, Noah and Judah Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby and son and baby daughter of Rochester are visiting Mrs. Kirby's mother, Mrs. Julius Hazen.

Mrs. Daisy Baldwin and children, who have been visiting her mother and sister, in Littleton, N. H., returned Sunday.

Rev. Wilmond Warner was in Irasburg Thursday to attend the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Chamberlin.

Mrs. A. D. Bemis of Mechanics Falls, Me., and Mrs. F. S. Cobleigh of West Derby are visiting their nephew, G. C. Lang.

Mrs. V. K. Zimmerman and little son of Lancaster, N. H., are guests of Mrs. Zimmerman's mother, Mrs. G. L. Merriam.

H. R. Cutler and family, who have been spending two weeks at the Miles-Cutler camp at Long pond, returned home Friday.

Irvin Brewster of Newport Center and Lawrence Stanley of Waltham, Mass., were guests of Miss Isadore Foss Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Smith and two children, Robert and Lucile, of Woodsville, have been visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. V. F. Hunter.

Rev. W. A. Warner was in Greensboro Bend Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Emma Simons Miller, an old schoolmate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rennie and daughter, Mary V. Rennie of Annandale, Minn., were guests at J. F. Batchelder's Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Williamson, who has been ill at the home of her sister in

COUNTY FAIR NEXT WEEK

Annual Event Promises a Real County Fair. Sensational Ballooning. Fine Exhibits.

The fair season of Vermont opens next week with the Orleans county fair at Barton, and this promises to be a real county fair such as folks have talked about and longed for. Promises of local exhibits of live stock are better than usual. Some of the best herds in this part of the state will be represented at this fair and the exhibit of the Orleans County Agricultural association, the Vermont forestry department, the state insect suppression department, the University of Vermont and state agricultural college, are bound to make the fair one of last-year benefit to the farmer.

A day will be none too long for the study of these things alone.

In connection with the exhibit of the state agricultural college will be a stereopticon lantern in order to show better than ever illustrations of value. The college on Wednesday also conducts a boys' stock judging contest in which boys who have not passed their 19th birthday will be allowed to enter.

The prizes are \$10, \$5, \$3, and \$2. The baby contest on Thursday will also be a feature of great interest, as the prizes this year consist of \$10, \$5 and \$2.50 in gold. The balloon sensations are by no means of the ordinary type of tree-top ascensions but real ballooning and some thrilling parachute drops such as were never witnessed in Orleans county before.

The ball games will be of special local interest as they are local teams. Advertising in this issue tells more of this and many other features.

Mr. Hamblet says that the racing this year promises to be as good or better than last year and last year's racing numbers will long be remembered by fair goers. Almost 60 different horses have entered. The three-minute class, in which many local horses have entered, will prove exciting.

Anticipating crowds of unusual size the Boston & Maine railroad will run a special train for St. Johnsbury Wednesday, reaching Barton before the ball game and returning after the races in the evening. This will accommodate many who will desire to see the Lyndonville ball team play on Wednesday.

The price remains at 35 cents for autos, teams and autos. There is much free parking space outside the oval. No fair in the state offers more for the money than our own Orleans county fair, owned and run by our own Orleans county people. It is the people's institution. It needs you. It needs us all.

Providence, R. I., returned home with her husband Saturday.

Miss Dora Phillips of Sheffield and Carroll Lyon of Lyndonville were married at the M. E. parsonage Monday by Rev. I. A. Ranney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Meech and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilcomb of White River Junction were guests at Hotel Barton the last of the week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilkie of Barre last week. Mr. Wilkie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilkie of this place.

Mrs. R. W. Ruggles and daughter, Janet, of Worcester, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Edith Ruggles and Everett Ruggles in Crystal Lake Grove.

Miss Nellie Keating and Miss Helen Keating of West Lebanon, N. H., have been recent guests at Mrs. C. C. W. Heath's and at the Keating farm.

Nelson Goodspeed and daughter, Mrs. Molly Hood, of St. Albans and Miss Jenkins of Barre, Mass., were guests at C. E. Hamblet's Friday.

Miss Marion Bickford of Waverly, Mass., who is spending her vacation here and at her old home in Glover, is at Pisgah Lodge for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Blake, who have worked for Walter Nye for several years, have moved to Leominster, Mass., where Mr. Blake has employment.

E. L. Wells of Lyndonville spent several days here with his wife, who has been visiting Mrs. Altha Pierce Mr. and Mrs. Wells returned home Friday.

Mrs. Laura McFarlane was in St. Johnsbury Saturday to see her daughter, Gladys, who is the hospital there and is gaining and hopes to be able to return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bailey of Lancaster, N. H., and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Davis of Lyndonville were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis in Crystal Lake Grove.

James Healey, who has been in the Mary Fletcher hospital, Burlington, where he submitted to an operation on his ankle, returned home Saturday night and is much better.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the postoffice. Please say advertised when calling for these letters. Fred Bean, A. H. Burnham, Fred, Duval, Leon Valley.

C. S. Webster, F. D. Thompson and Alden Owen are in Richford today attending a meeting of the Vermont State Bankers association, of which Mr. Webster is secretary.

Miss Marion Carter accompanied by her mother, Mrs. H. W. Carter, went to St. Johnsbury Sunday, where, on Monday, Miss Carter was operated upon for the removal of tonsils.

George Rowen of St. Johnsbury was in town Thursday to visit his cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Mahoney of Lowell, Mass., who have been spending a week visiting friends here and at Glover.

Mrs. Clara Colby.

Mrs. Clara Colby died at the home of her son, Dr. Robert M. Wells, in Orleans Friday evening, after an illness of over three months of Bright's disease. She was born in Suffield, Can., March 13, 1857, the daughter of Ransom and Sophronia Bean Slack.

Mrs. Colby was a woman who will be greatly missed from the community. Though not a graduate nurse, she always had special ability in the care of the sick, and her services in that line have been greatly in demand and scores of people remember with gratitude her efficient care. She was a devoted mother and did all in her power to educate her children and give them the right start in life. A member of the Congregational church, the Ladies' Aid society and the W. C. T. U., she was ever ready to help in every way she could. She is survived by five children, Dr. Robert M. Wells of Orleans, Cook P. Wells of Boston, W. Dow of McIndoes, Howard R. Dow and Flora E. Plunkett of Barton and two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Reed of Eustice, P. Q., and Mrs. Lois Bean of Dixville, P. Q., two brothers, Howard Slack of North Hatley and Irving Slack of Ayers Cliff, P. Q.

Funeral services will be held in the Brown cemetery Sunday at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. W. A. Warner officiating.

Mrs. Eunice Collins, who is taking a course in the Mary Fletcher hospital, Burlington, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hunt. Mrs. Collins is recovering from typhoid fever.

Miss Viola Rollins, who has been chief operator in the New England Telephone office for some time, has accepted a position in the office at Newport and left last night to assume her duties there.

Harold White, who went to Albany, N. Y., to make his home with his aunt, Miss Clara Comstock, and who has had a position in a drug store in that city, will enter a college of pharmacy this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Slack of Ayers Cliff, Orange Slack of Weedon Mills, Mrs. Ruth Reed of Eustice, Howard Slack and Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Bond of North Hatley, Can., were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Clara Colby.

Floyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tinker, was quite seriously injured Monday while playing in the alley between the King tenement house and the building adjoining it on High street. Carpenters were at work repairing the roof, and a board fell, striking her on the head, cutting a gash several inches long.

The fire alarm Friday evening called out the fire department to the Pillsbury & Baldwin mill on Water street. The fire started by spontaneous combustion in some oily rags in the rooms used by A. B. Morency as a paint shop. By the prompt arrival of the hose companies, the fire was mastered in a very few minutes and little damage was done.

Several of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Day called upon them Thursday to remind Mr. Day it was his 79th birthday and offer their congratulations. Mr. Day was presented with a sum of money, flowers and other tokens of friendship for which they are very thankful. Mr. Day received 60 cards and all his friends wish him many more birthdays.

Barton gives the last concert at Lyndonville Tuesday evening and it would show a bit of civic pride and loyalty for a dozen of our autoists to go with them next week and hear our boys in their last visit to Lyndonville. It is reported that Lyndonville people are enthusiastic about the Barton band and the concerts draw large crowds.

Eusebe Morin, who has been critically ill for two weeks, died at his home on the farm formerly owned by O. A. White, Monday evening. Mr. Morin came from Canada several years ago and purchased the farm where he has since lived. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, two sons and an adopted son. Funeral services were held at St. Paul's church this morning.

BROWNINGTON

Henry Newton of Westfield spent Sunday here.

Leon Going of Enosburg spent the week-end at home.

Rev. O. E. Aiken of Fairfax is visiting his mother, Mrs. Sanborn.

Rev. R. A. Hamilton will supply the Congregational church Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Notemire has returned from her visit in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davies spent Sunday with friends in North Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beauregard visited friends in Newport one day last week.

Mrs. Ellen Nye of Boston is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. B. J. Mack.

Mrs. Oliver Dwyer and son, Charles, of Sheffield spent last week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goodhue and M. J. Pond of Richford recently visited at Homer Cullen's.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leslie Kelley now of St. Albans, are the parents of a daughter, born July 29.

A. R. Crane from Somerville, Mass., spent the week-end with his wife and daughter at E. S. Kelley's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Newton visited their daughter, Mrs. Leon Ross, in Sheffield Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Desnoyes from St. Damase, P. Q., visited her sister, Mrs. Joseph Beauregard, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Searles, who have been at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Grow, have returned to their home in Montpelier.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Currier, Alison Currier and daughter of Concord and Mrs. Irena Wheaton of Newbury were recent guests at O. A. Grow's.

BROWNINGTON CENTER

Ellie Clarke is quite ill.

Charles Whitehill has a new auto.

Mahlon Seymour is working at Orleans.

Daisy Broome has been very ill with pneumonia.

D. W. Allen of Orleans spent Sunday at Philo Powers.

The Broome family have all been ill with measles.

Several from here attended the Chautauqua at Orleans.

Delmar Bennett is suffering from blood poison in his hand.

Mrs. L. N. Lund spent the week-end with her sister, at Orleans.

Floyd Magoon of Greensboro spent Sunday with his uncle, C. C. McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Clarke of Barton visited their son, E. D. Clarke, last week.

The Ladies' Guild will serve ice cream and cake at the church vestry Saturday evening.

There will be no service at the church Sunday, as the pastor is attending camp meeting at Lyndonville.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilman of San Jose, Cal., visited at Truman Aiken's and at T. G. Crandall's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright and Miss Naomi Lathe spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. House, in Troy.

EVANSVILLE

L. Grow has sold his place to Arthur Miles.

There is a new daughter at Earl Cole's.

Frank Lapierre has moved back from Orleans.

J. L. Marshall has sold his farm to Dick Devereaux.

Elwin Wright has moved into Mrs. Sarah Fox's house.